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Amendments To The Claims

The listing of claims presented below will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of claims:

1. (**Currently amended**) A Digital Television (DTV) receiver, comprising:

a receiving **unit** ~~means~~ for receiving a transmission signal including general data and robust data and converting the transmission signal into a base-band signal;

an equalizing **unit** ~~means~~ for determining a symbol level of the transmission signal;

a trellis decoding **unit** ~~means~~ for performing trellis decoding on a symbol of the determined level;

a nonsystematic Reed Solomon (NRS) decoding **unit** ~~means~~ for performing NRS decoding on the trellis-decoded robust data and ~~correcting an~~ **for performing robust data** error **correction on the trellis-decoded robust data**; and

a restoring **unit** ~~means~~ for restoring a digital video data stream with respect to the trellis-decoded general data and the NRS-decoded robust data.

2. (**Currently amended**) The DTV receiver as recited in claim 1, wherein the restoring **unit** ~~means~~ includes:

a packet formatting **unit** ~~means~~ for reconstructing a packet with respect to the robust data;

a data deinterleaving **unit** ~~means~~ for deinterleaving the reconstructed robust data;

an RS decoding **unit** ~~means~~ for correcting a forward error with respect to the general data and the robust data; and

a data derandomizing **unit** ~~means~~ for derandomizing the RS-decoded data.

3. (**Currently amended**) The DTV receiver as recited in claim 2, wherein the restoring **unit** ~~means~~ further includes

a controller for computing delay time for NRS decoding and packet

reconstruction with respect to the robust data, and

the data derandomizing **unit** ~~means~~ performs derandomization in consideration of the delay time.

4. **(Currently amended)** A Digital Television (DTV) receiving method, comprising ~~the steps of~~:

receiving ~~a) receiving~~ a transmission signal including general data and robust data and converting the transmission signal into a base-band signal;

determining ~~b) determining~~ a symbol level of the transmission signal;

performing ~~c) performing~~ trellis decoding on a symbol of the determined level;

performing ~~d) performing~~ nonsystematic Reed Solomon (NRS) decoding on the trellis-decoded robust data and ~~correcting an~~ **performing robust data** error **correction on the trellis-decoded robust data**; and

restoring ~~e) restoring~~ a digital video data stream with respect to the trellis-decoded general data and the NRS-decoded robust data.

5. **(Currently amended)** The method as recited in claim 4, wherein ~~the step e) includes the steps of~~ **restoring the digital video data stream comprises**:

reconstructing ~~e1) reconstructing~~ a packet with respect to the robust data;

deinterleaving ~~e2) deinterleaving~~ the reconstructed robust data;

performing ~~e3) performing~~ forward error correction with respect to the general data and the robust data; and

derandomizing ~~e4) derandomizing~~ the RS-decoded data.

6. **(Currently amended)** The method as recited in claim 5, wherein ~~the step e) further includes a step of~~ **restoring the digital video data stream further comprises:**

computing ~~e5) computing~~ delay time for NRS decoding and packet reconstruction with respect to the robust data, and

derandomization is performed in consideration of the delay time in the ~~step e4)~~ **derandomizing of the RS-decoded data**.